

Several Hundred Dollars in Prizes to be Distributed by the

Tucumcari News

In its grand piano voting contest. The Capital Prize which will be given by the News is to be an Elegant \$400 Obermeyer & Sons Piano, like cut shown here. A number of Merchants of Tucumcari have contributed valuable prizes and will give "News" Vote Coupons with \$1.00 Cash Purchases.



Rules and Regulations Governing Contest are as Follows:

- 1. ANNOUNCEMENT**—This Piano and Popular Ladies' Voting Contest will be conducted fairly and honestly on business principles, strictly with justice and fairness to all concerned. With the above principles, it will be an assured success.
- 2. PRIZES**—The capital prize will be an Obermeyer & Sons Piano. Also other valuable prizes to amount to many dollars which are announced herewith.
- 3. CANDIDATES**—Young ladies in this and adjoining towns are eligible to enter this contest, and the party receiving the largest number of votes shall receive the beautiful \$400 Obermeyer & Sons Piano and other premiums will be distributed in accordance with the contestants' standing at the final count.
- 4. TIE IN VOTES**—Should any of the contestants tie in votes, The Publishers Music Company will award a similar prize according to standing at the final count.
- 5. VOTES CLASSED**—Votes will be issued in the following denominations:

New Subscriptions, 600 votes \$ 1.00
 Renewals, 500 votes 1.00
 Renewals, more than one year, 600 votes 1.00
 Back Subscriptions, 400 votes 1.00
 5 years New Subscriptions, 5,000 votes 5.00
 10 years New Subscriptions, 12,500 votes 10.00
 20 years New Subscriptions, 30,000 votes 20.00

INSTRUCTIONS—Results as to standing of votes will be issued after 30 days. No votes accepted at less than regular price of paper concerned in this contest. No one connected with this paper will be allowed to become a candidate in this contest or work for contestants.

Votes after being voted cannot be transferred to another. Be sure to know whom you are going to vote for before coming to the ballot box, as the editor or anyone will positively not give any information on the subject. The key to the government ballot box shall be in possession of the awarding committee during the contest.

For the first 30 days the paper will run 25-vote

coupon which can be voted free for any lady contestant.

Contest to run not less than 90 days. Closing of contest will be announced 25 days in advance of closing. The right to postpone date of closing is reserved if sufficient cause should occur.

The contest shall close on a day which will be announced later. 10 days prior to closing contest, the judges will carefully look or seal ballot box and take same to the First National Bank, where the same will be in a place where voting can be done during business hours and locked in a vault at night until close of contest, when the judges will take charge and count same and announce the young ladies winning in their turn.

The last ten days all voting must be done in a sealed box at the bank. If you do not wish anyone to know whom you are voting for, place your cash for subscriptions together with your coupons in a sealed envelop which will be furnished you and put same in ballot box. This will give everyone a fair and square deal.

Gold Piece Value \$10.00
 Donated by
The Photoplay
 High Class Motion Pictures
 We give a coupon with each 10c admission and redeem ten of these coupons with one 25-vote coupon
 Save Your Coupons

Prize Value \$15.00
 Donated by
H. Bonem
 Clothing, Gent's Furnishings, Ladies' Shoes and Hose
 We give a 25-vote Coupon free with each \$1.00 cash purchase.—ASK FOR COUPON

Prize Value \$15.00
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The American Furniture Co.
 Furniture, Stoves and Carpets
 We give a 25-vote Coupon free with each \$1.00 cash purchase.—ASK FOR COUPON

Prize Valuable Prize
 Donated by
L. L. ERNST
 Jeweler, Optician
 We give a 25-vote Coupon free with each \$1.00 cash purchase.—ASK FOR COUPON

Photos Value \$15.00
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P. Clinton Bortell
 Home Portrait Photographer
 We give a 25-vote Coupon free with each \$1.00 cash purchase.—ASK FOR COUPON

Prize Value \$15.00
 Donated by
Elk Drug Store
 Druggists
 We give a 6 1-4 vote Coupon free with each 25c cash purchase.—ASK FOR COUPON

In Trade Value \$10.00
 Donated by
Eager Brothers
 Groceries & Meats
 We give a 25-vote Coupon free with each \$1.00 cash purchase.—ASK FOR COUPON

Call For and Save Your Coupons Beginning TODAY For Some Young Lady Will Appreciate Them

LAST COUNT MARCH 16

The last count of the Merchants and News contest will be held the night of March 16th at 7:30 o'clock.

No votes will be given on either new, renewals or back subscriptions after six o'clock the evening of March 9th. Votes given on Merchants coupons till 7:30 o'clock March 16th.

The piano is on exhibit at The American Furniture store.

BONUSES

Same bonus as formerly on groups of 7 subscriptions. Merchants bonus increases to 1,000 instead of 500 thus making a total of 2000 instead of 1,500.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

For every three 5 year subscriptions received at one time we offer a bonus of 25000 making in all the sum of 15,000 and 25,000 or 40,000. These subscriptions may be either for one, two

or three persons.

For every two 20-year subscriptions received at one time or voted in sealed envelope, we offer a bonus of 75,000 votes, making in all the sum of 60,000 and 75,000 or 135,000. These subscriptions may be for one or two persons.

NOTICE OF CONTEST
 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Tucumcari, New Mexico
 February 24, 1914
 To Charley Watson of Hudson, N. M.
 Contestee:

You are hereby notified that James C. Robinson, who gives Tucumcari, N. M., as his postoffice address, did on Jan. 26, 1914, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your H E No. 21476, Ser. No. 08965, made Nov. 21, 1907, for NW 1/4 Sec 8, Twp 12N, Rng 32 east of New Mexico Principal Meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that Charley Watson has wholly abandoned the said entry for more than six months next prior to No-

vember 21, 1912, and said abandonment still exists and has not been cured, that said land has not been earned, to pass title to patent.

You are hereby notified that T. G. Brown, who gives Norton, N. M., as his postoffice address, did on December 9, 1913, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your Homestead Entry No. Ser. No. 010176, made April 9, 1908, for SW 1/4 Sec 24, Twp 9N, Rng 32E, N M P Meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that entryman has wholly abandoned the said entry for more than five years next prior to the filing of this affidavit of contest and has wholly abandoned the land for more than six months prior to April 9, 1913, and said abandonment still exists and has not been cured. That said land has not been earned to pass the same to patent.

R. A. Prentice, Register
 N. V. Gallegos, Receiver
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Work for your candidate for the Merchants and News Piano contest.

RECEIVERS NOTICE

I am now prepared to accept bids on the following described property owned by the International Bank of Commerce Tucumcari, N. M.

SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 NE 1/4 and lots 2 and 3 Sec 4 Twp 10N Rng 31 E, containing 159 61-100 acres, Quay county, N. M.

Lots C. D. and E. of Lamar's Subdiv. of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Block 19, original townsite Tucumcari, lots D, E and F Chenault's Sub-Div. of lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 of Block 18 OT Tucumcari.

Lot 5 Block 13 OT Tucumcari, N. M. Lot 5 in Block 8 of Gamble addition to Tucumcari.

Lots 9 and 10 block 8 Rock Island addition, Tucumcari, N. M.

H. B. JONES, Receiver
 International Bank of Commerce
 Tucumcari, N. M.

EYES—Itching, aversion to study and stupidity are sure signs of eye trouble in children. Do not neglect the child's eyes. See Dr. Menzies and have them examined and properly fitted with good glasses.

Ask for News Piano Contest votes

AUGUST BALTZER, C. E.

Consulting Engineer--Architect

VORENBERG HOTEL BUILDING
 TUCUMCARI, N. M.
 PHONE 29

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